LTFAC Prepares Final Recommendations Public Hearing EIP Public Advisory Process Tahoe Working Public Written Congressional Group Prepares Comment Period Delegation Preliminary Input Recommendations PCT develops Capita1 preliminary list of project projects and updates for nominations the long-term federal accepted EIP plan Tahoe Tahoe Regional Working Executives' Review of Group of the Lake Tahoe Final LTFAC Recommendations reviews preliminary project list Tahoe Science TSC reviews Consortium capital projects (TSC) develops for adaptive SNPLMA Executive research and management Committee Review and and monitoring monitoring Inclusion of Taboe Final themes/subopportunities Recommendations into themes Package for Secretary Approval

FIGURE 3: Lake Tahoe SNPLMA Project Recommendation Flow Chart

representatives from federal agencies that implement EIP projects and the TRPA. The PCT is responsible for providing TWG with a prioritized schedule of projects to facilitate a rational and informed selection process. The minimum standards for nominated projects for Lake Tahoe considered by the TWG are that the projects (1) are responsibilities of the federal government in the EIP (which may be part of a larger project that involves non-federal agencies), and (2) have a willing and ready federal sponsor that confirms that a project has been programmed through the PCT. The USDA Forest Service submits its agency's projects to the PCT from the Priority List required under the Lake Tahoe Restoration Act.

A. Tahoe Capital Projects

Nominated projects must have all required documentation as outlined in the Nomination Package Information for Lake Tahoe Restoration Projects provided in Appendix I and any additional information requested in the annual request for project proposals.

B. Tahoe Science Projects

The Tahoe Working Group will request the Tahoe Science Consortium provide a proposed list of research and monitoring resource areas and sub-categories to the PCT for incorporation in to the preliminary list developed by the PCT. The proposed TSC resource areas list will include input from management agencies prior to submittal to the PCT. Resource areas could include but are